

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listing of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-85 (Cancelled)

86. (Currently Amended) A method for ~~delivering~~ operating a computer system to manage the delivery of a vehicle from a first location to a second location, the method comprising:

~~receiving predetermined vehicle identification data associated with a vehicle identification number of the vehicle, origination data identifying the first location, and destination data identifying the second location with a first computer;~~

~~locating the vehicle based on the origination data;~~

~~identifying the vehicle based on the predetermined vehicle identification data;~~

~~moving the vehicle from the first location to the second location; and~~

~~verifying the identification of the vehicle at the second location based on the predetermined vehicle identification data~~

~~transmitting the vehicle identification number, origination data, and destination data to a second computer;~~

~~assigning the vehicle identification number to a driver with the second computer;~~
and

updating the second computer based on the vehicle identification number after the vehicle has been moved to the second location.

87. (Cancelled)

88. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 86, ~~wherein receiving predetermined vehicle identification data includes~~ further comprising receiving at least one of: the year of the vehicle, the make of the vehicle, the model of the vehicle, and the color of the vehicle.

89-93. (Cancelled)

94. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 93 86, wherein the ~~verifying~~ updating step includes scanning ~~the~~ a bar code.

95. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 86, further comprising generating a time stamp indicative of the time when the ~~predetermined vehicle identification data~~ vehicle identification number, origination data, and destination data were received with the first computer.

96. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 86, further comprising receiving data indicative of whether the vehicle is drivable with the first computer.

97. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 86, further comprising receiving data indicative of whether a key for operating the vehicle is available with the first computer.

98-99. (Cancelled)

100. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 86, further comprising generating a confirmation with the first computer for confirming that the ~~predetermined vehicle identification data~~ vehicle identification number, origination data, and destination data were received and transmitting the confirmation.

101. (Cancelled)

102. (Currently Amended) The method of claim ~~101~~ 86, wherein the ~~inspecting step~~ includes recording at least one of further comprising recording data related to the vehicle on a third computer, the data related to the vehicle being selected from the group consisting of: information on the vehicle's fuel, information on the vehicle's lubricant, information on the vehicle odometer data at the first location, information on the vehicle odometer at the second location, information on the time when the vehicle was delivered at the second location, and information on the identity of a person receiving the vehicle at the second location.

103. (Currently Amended) A method for ~~delivering a vehicle from a first location to a second location~~ operating a computer system to manage the delivery of a vehicle to an automobile auction facility, the method comprising:

~~receiving predetermined vehicle identification data associated with the vehicle, origination data identifying the first location, and destination data identifying the second location with a host computer;~~

~~displaying status information associated with the vehicle on the host computer;~~

~~generating a data label based on the predetermined vehicle identification data;~~

~~locating the vehicle based on the origination data;~~

~~identifying the vehicle based on the predetermined vehicle identification data;~~

~~applying the data label to the vehicle at the first location;~~

~~moving the vehicle from the first location to the second location;~~

~~scanning the a data label attached to the vehicle after the vehicle has been moved to the automobile auction facility at the second location; and~~

~~determining a vehicle identification number of the vehicle based on the scanning step;~~

~~determining if the vehicle is at the correct automobile auction facility based on the vehicle identification number; and~~

~~updating the status information displayed on the host computer based on the scanning step a vehicle database identifying vehicles for sale with the vehicle identification number.~~

104-105. (Cancelled)

106. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 103, wherein ~~the identifying step~~ determining if the vehicle is at the correct automobile auction facility includes comparing the ~~predetermined vehicle identification data~~ vehicle identification number with a ~~portion of a vehicle identification number of the vehicle~~ list of vehicle identification numbers of vehicles that are to be delivered to the automobile auction facility.

107-108. (Cancelled)

109. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 103, wherein the updating step includes updating the ~~status information~~ vehicle database with data indicative of the time when the vehicle was delivered to the ~~second location~~ automobile auction facility.

110-112. (Cancelled)

113. (New) The method of claim ~~112~~ 103, ~~wherein the inspecting step includes recording at least one of~~ further comprising recording data related to the vehicle, the data related to the vehicle being selected from the group consisting of: information on the vehicle's fuel, information on the vehicle's lubricant, information on the vehicle odometer data at the first location, information on the vehicle odometer at the second location, information on the time when the vehicle was delivered at the second location, and information on the identity of a person receiving the vehicle at the second location.

114-138. (Cancelled)